

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings of claims in the application:

LISTING OF CLAIMS:

1. (original) Banner (1) with a banner rod (5) which can be coupled to an aircraft (2) via a banner spider (4) and a tow rope (3), characterized in that there are at least two disks (10) on the banner rod (5).

2. (original) Banner as claimed in claim 1, wherein the disks (10) are round.

3. (currently amended) Banner as claimed in claim 1 or 2, wherein the disks (10) are pivotally mounted on the banner rod (5).

4. (currently amended) Banner as claimed in ~~one of~~ claims claim 1 to 3, wherein the disks (10) are located, especially pivotally mounted, on the ends of the banner rod (5) next to the two lengthwise edges of the banner (1).

5. (currently amended) Banner as claimed in ~~one of~~ claims claim 1 to 4, wherein the disks (10) on either side bear running disk flanges (13) and via them sit with a turning capacity on the outer surface of the banner rod (5).

6. (currently amended) Banner as claimed in ~~one of~~ claims claim 1 to 5, wherein to secure the position of the disks (10) on either side of the disks (10) or the running disk flanges (13) connected to them there are brackets (14).

7. (original) Banner as claimed in claim 6, wherein the brackets (14) are connected to the banner rod (5).

8. (original) Banner as claimed in claim 7, wherein the brackets (14) are attached to the banner rod (5) using screws (15) which pass through the banner rod (5).

9. (currently amended) Banner as claimed in ~~one of claims~~ claim 1 to 7, wherein there is a weight (19) on one end of the banner rod (5).

10. (original) Banner as claimed in claim 9, wherein the weight (19) is located within the banner rod (5).

11. (currently amended) Banner as claimed in claim 9 or 10, wherein the end of the banner rod (5) provided with weight (19) is lengthened by a dive hose (18).

12. (currently amended) Banner as claimed in ~~one of claims~~ claim 9 to 11, wherein the weight (19) and the dive hose (18) are connected to the banner rod by a screw (19) which passes through the banner rod (5).

13. (new) Banner as claimed in claim 2, wherein the disks (10) are pivotally mounted on the banner rod (5).

14. (new) Banner as claimed in claim 2, wherein the disks (10) are located, especially pivotally mounted, on the ends of the banner rod (5) next to the two lengthwise edges of the banner (1).

15. (new) Banner as claimed in claim 3, wherein the disks (10) are located, especially pivotally mounted, on the

ends of the banner rod (5) next to the two lengthwise edges of the banner (1).

16. (new) Banner as claimed in claim 2, wherein the disks (10) on either side bear running disk flanges (13) and via them sit with a turning capacity on the outer surface of the banner rod (5).

17. (new) Banner as claimed in claim 3, wherein the disks (10) on either side bear running disk flanges (13) and via them sit with a turning capacity on the outer surface of the banner rod (5).

18. (new) Banner as claimed in claim 4, wherein the disks (10) on either side bear running disk flanges (13) and via them sit with a turning capacity on the outer surface of the banner rod (5).

19. (new) Banner as claimed in claim 2, wherein to secure the position of the disks (10) on either side of the disks (10) or the running disk flanges (13) connected to them there are brackets (14).

20. (new) Banner as claimed in claim 3, wherein to secure the position of the disks (10) on either side of the disks (10) or the running disk flanges (13) connected to them there are brackets (14).